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THE CLEVELAND MUSEUM OF ART  
QUESTIONNAIRE

May 19, 1960

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Dear Miss Wike:

We are trying to build a biographical record of Cleveland Artists for reference. May we enlist your assistance with the following data?

FULL NAME: *Viola S. Wike*

DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: *Feb. 7-1901 - Cleveland, Ohio*

ART TRAINING - Schools, Scholarships, etc:

*Chicago Art Institute; Cleveland Institute of Art; Fine Arts Dept. - University of Colorado.*

EXHIBITIONS IN WHICH YOUR WORK HAS BEEN SHOWN:

Medium: *\*Cleveland May Shows - 1950 thru 1960 inclusive*  
*Enamels { 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> Ceramic National Shows - 1949 and 1950*  
*Watercolor { Travelling Ohio Watercolor Show. (1958-59)*  
*Watercolor { One man show - Mabel Cly Gallery. Shaker Hts. Sr. High,*  
*1956 and 1957*  
*\*Enamels 1950-'51-'52-'53-'54-'56 ; Watercolors 1955, '57-'58-'59-'60.*

COLLECTIONS WHICH NOW INCLUDE YOUR WORK:

*The Cleveland Museum of Art*

AWARDS:

*Honorable Mention for group of two watercolors -*  
*Cleveland May Show 1960*

PRESENT POSITION:

*Art instructor - Shaker Hts. Bd. of Education*  
*also Saturday Staff. Cleveland Museum of Art*

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We would greatly appreciate it if you would inform us of subsequent awards, purchases, exhibitions and scholarships. Thank you for your cooperation.

*Ann Rartschler*  
Assistant in Paintings



Viola S. Wike

Born in 1901 in Cleveland Mrs Wike was educated at Chicago's Art Institute, at the Cleveland Institute of Art and at the University of Colorado.

Her work in Enamels and Watercolor have been exhibited at Cleveland May Shows from 1950 through 1960. She was awarded an Honorable mention by the 42nd May Show Jury for two watercolors, and her work is (and at two one man shows in Shaker Heights) included in the Cleveland Museum's collection.

Miss Wike is art instructor for the Shaker Hts. Board of Education and is a member of the Saturday Staff of the Cleveland Museum of Art.



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DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: *Feb. 7, 1901 Cleveland, Ohio*

ART TRAINING - Schools, Scholarships, etc.: *Chicago Art Institute; Cleveland Institute of Art; University of Colorado.*

EXHIBITIONS IN WHICH YOUR WORK HAS BEEN SHOWN:

*Syracuse National Ceramic Shows 1950, 1951  
Cleveland Museum of Art. May Shows - 1951, '52, '53, '54, '55, '56  
'57.*

COLLECTIONS WHICH NOW INCLUDE YOUR WORK:

AWARDS:

PRESENT POSITION: *Art instructor Shaker Hl. Bd. of Ed. and Saturday School, Cleveland Museum of Art.*

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WIKE, VIOLA SPERBER

Born in Cleveland in 1901, Mrs. Wike received her training at the Chicago Art Institute; the Cleveland Institute of Art; and the University of Colorado. She has exhibited watercolors and enamels in Cleveland May Shows, in Ceramic National Shows, in the Travelling Ohio Watercolor Show, and at a one-man show in the Mabel Ely Gallery at Shaker Heights Senior High School. The Cleveland Museum of Art owns some of her work. She received an honorable mention for watercolors in the May Show in 1960. She is now an art instructor for the Shaker Heights Board of Education.